COMMUNITY CORNER

The Community Resource Center's Weekly Newsletter



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CHILDCARE FOR FAMILIES EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

<u>The Child Care Aware of Washington Family Center</u> is a statewide call center assisting families in finding licensed child care providers, navigating child care financial assistance options, finding alternative forms of care, and connecting families to COVID-related resources in their community.

They also help families who are experiencing homelessness find child care **for up to 12 months at no cost to them**. Child care offers young children experiencing homelessness a safe place to play and learn, healthy food and a chance to make friends. Families qualify if they meet one of the following:

- Not have a home
- Live temporarily with family or friends
- Live in a shelter, car or park
- Live in transitional housing
- Live in domestic violence program housing
- Meet income eligibility requirements

To learn more, click <u>here</u>, call (800) 446-1114 or email familycenterechildcare.org.





PROVIDER HIGHLIGHT: PATH WITH ART

<u>Path with Art</u> fosters the restoration of individuals, groups, and society from the effects of trauma through arts engagement and community-building. Path with Art serves low-to-no income adults in active recovery from domestic abuse, homelessness, addiction, mental illness, and other trauma who are working to rebuild their lives.

Programs include 8-week classes in a variety of disciplines (visual art, music, theater/performance, dance, writing), site-based workshops tailored to social service partners, access art, mailed art-kits, exhibitions + showcases, weekly open-studio and tech support, and community connections.

Upcoming Workshops & Classes

- Open Studio | Monday, June 14, 2021 | 3:30 PM5:00 PM
- Path with Art Podcast | Tuesday, June 15, 2021 | 1:00 PM 3:00 PM
- Path with Art Singers | Monday, June 21, 2021 | 1:00 PM 3:00 PM
- Community Art Curation Skillshare | June 15 & June 29, 2021 | 3:30 PM
- <u>Student Meet Up</u> | Every Wednesday | Noon 1:00 PM
- Narrative Painting | Tuesdays, 5 PM 7:00 PM
- <u>Beginning Acting for Stage and Camera</u> | Thursdays | 2:00 4:00 PM
- Expressive Drawing | Thursdays | 5 PM 7:00 PM

Impact

- 95% of respondents indicated that participation positively impacted their mental/behavioral health.
- 35% reported positive impact on physical health.





To learn more, visit <u>PathWithArt.org</u>, call (206) 650–0669, or email Community Manager Bex Lipps at <u>bex@pathwithart.org</u>.

Virtual Workshop: Evictions and Terminations

June 23, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Learn about tenant's rights when confronted with an eviction or termination. For those currently living in King County and being threatened with eviction, contact the Housing Justice Project for legal assistance at (253) 234-4204 or hjpstaffekcba.org. Learn more here.

DCAP Reinstated

Effective June 14, 2021, the Disaster Cash Assistance Program (DCAP) will once again be activated in response to COVID-19. Learn more here.

June is Pride Month

LGBTQ+ rights are both a local and global issue. If you are looking for ways to celebrate or show your support, check out:

- <u>Virtual Seattle Pride</u>, June 26 & 27
- Capitol Hill Pride, June 26 & 27
- <u>SeattlePride.org/events</u>

Read more here.